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JOCK'S WAGGIN' TONGUE

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Jock McIntyre, Editor

Europe's hates and Europe's policies cannot be transferred to our own soil except to our detriment. Every mixing in Europe's affairs sets up a clamor on the part of one still allied minded group in this country for more interference, and on the part of another for less. It is a trap for foreign propaganda with its ever-present invitation to war.

Trade in our iron ore on a COLEMAN self heating basis. We are making an allowance of \$1.00 for your trade in.

Our sympathy goes out to the Brett family in their bereavement.

Have you seen the new SAVAGE repeating 22 rifle. It has a 3 power telescope sight on it and we have a real special on one only.

Our greetings to Mrs. E. Oshier, and by the way Eddie gets a box of cigars on hand. They are coming so we hear.

We have a nice assortment of wrist watches at prices unheard of before. Every one guaranteed.

A census or one of the new rubber mats at the door will save the good wife a lot of time cleaning during those soft spring days.

Mr. and Mrs. Morg Smith is back at home so spring is not far away folks. Time to get that seat treated. Our car seat treatment is still at your disposal.

Gen. Dupont announces that the big McCormick Deering entertainment is coming to town. Twenty five new comedies of sound film. Come along, bring the wife and kids and enjoy an afternoon's entertainment at George's expense. The time is 1 p.m. at the Community Hall, the date Friday, March 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris are all on the sick list. We hope to see you all around again soon.

We are more than pleased to announce new low prices on GENERAL radio B batteries.

The government has issued permission for the trapping of 1000 pairs of Hungarian partridges in our near locality to be liberated in the north of the province. We would like to point out to farmers of this district that we believe it is the duty of every farmer to obtain their permission to trap on their lands, and hope that the person doing this job will not be too well received by Champion district farmers.

Alex reports Mrs. McDougal's condition as good as could be expected.

Our advice to purchasers of peanuts at Mark's store is to examine the package to see that all of things you don't buy, old rusty used nails.

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Not Informed of Advanced Position

Hon. Peter Dawson Denies Knowledge of New Appointment.

Hon. Peter Dawson does not subscribe to the theory that he will be the next Minister of Education for this province and has told his local supporters that it was news to him that a change in the Cabinet was contemplated.

While denying the rumor, it is known that Hon. Mr. Dawson has been keenly interested in educational matters and that he has had no small part in the working out of some of the present educational policies. Press despatches told of rumors and despite Hon. Mr. Dawson's guarded statement, the Chronicle has an idea that changes may be made so that the local member will find himself in an administrative office.

Speaker of the House is unquestionably one of the most important positions, he is the guardian of free speech and the conduct of debate, and as in the instance of a couple of weeks ago, must call members to order irrespective of party, even the Premier, but it is usual, as in the case of the Ontario House a few months ago to promote the Speaker to an administrative office, if and when the opportunity presents itself.

Highway Route May Be Changed

Would Eliminate Rail Crossings.

Information gathered by The Chronicle is to the effect that when the highway between here and Lethbridge is hard surfaced that the route through Champion will be changed considerably making it safer for travel.

Instead of crossing and recrossing the railway, it is proposed to run the road on the east side of the railway tracks. This would mean that the highway would come down on the street upon which the Municipal office, the Elevators and the Beaver Lumber Company are situated. In addition to making the road less dangerous, it would also reduce the mileage it is stated.

Number attended hockey matches this week

Tories to Support Unity Party

Interests of Province Necessitates such Action Will Fight in Federal

At an enthusiastic meeting held in Calgary the National Conservative party decided against participation in the next provincial election as a party, but rather supporting the Unity movement against the social credit. Nominations for the next Federal election which may come this fall was decided upon. It was felt that provincial matters came before party and that the best interests of Alberta would be served by supporting Unity candidates.

It was intimated that best results could be obtained by the support of the two old line parties. A strong executive was elected.

Change Boundaries of Constituency

Redistribution Bill Before Alberta Legislature.

During the past week the Alberta Legislature has been discussing a resolution which would reduce the number of seats in the House from 63 seats to 57.

Locally, changes enlarges this constituency, the territory to be added would be north, taking in part of Vulcan.

In addition to the reduction in the number of seats, which has been advocated for years, the aim is to so adjust the boundaries so that the population in the constituencies will be as nearly equal as is possible.

Hon. Peter Dawson sitting member for Little Bow would still contest this seat when an election was called if he so chose in change not being drastic, as in some other districts where union of two constituencies would be effected.

BARONS

The Literary Society held their monthly meeting on Friday. It was well attended, with several outside of school also present. Program this month was under the grade X & XI room. Lively business session was followed by a vocal duet by Margaret Tedesco and Lina Swanson, piano solo by Annie Barber. This was followed by the highlight of the program a humorous skit, *Between Trains* with Betty Doran and Beverly Roberts. Afternoon was closed by reading of school paper. The articles report was given.

Barons curlers made a good showing in the recent bonspiel in Carmangy.

Twentieth Century Club held their meeting on Wednesday. Plans for social are under way. Watch for details.

Several tables of cards were played Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kothas the occasion being the celebration of their tenth wedding anniversary.

Monday night three teams from Glenwood engaged in a fast and clean basketball game. The high school boys came out on top 27-20. The Barons ladies played much better basketball than in Glenwood by taking down 23-7. The mens game was the highlight. Glenwood team winning by one point margin 33 to 32.

MAIN STREET

Miss Marjorie McCullough carried out her duties as Queen of the Carnival at the University event this week-end.

Mr. Farris, of the school teaching staff is confined to the Carmangy hospital for a short time where he is receiving special treatment. His many friends will wish him a speedy recovery.

Hugh Miller was a visitor in Lethbridge on Saturday on business.

Patrons of the local financial institution missed the genial countenance and smile of the manager during the early part of the week. Despite all propaganda to the contrary local people do appreciate the service given by "The Boys" and regret when any are ill.

Fred Fleming was a business visitor in Lethbridge last Saturday.

D. Allan Brown of Calgary was a visitor on Tuesday at "The Chronicle" office.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kramer spent the week-end in Calgary.

Mr. Kline of the Champion Cereal Company was a business visitor in Calgary this week.

The Greyhound bus south bound went into the hospital on Sunday for minor adjustments. While it was given the once over by the local mechanic the passengers enjoyed refreshments.

K. R. McLean, Optometrist and Optician, 200 and 210 Southam Bldg., Calgary will be in Carmangy at the Drug Store, Tuesday morning, March 14th, in Carmangy at the Drug Store Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Edna Middleton spent Sunday at her home in Carmangy.

The Champion Ladies Social Credit Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Aleck on Tuesday March 7th at 8 p.m. Speaker: Mrs. R. Root. Men are cordially invited to be present. Lunch will be served.

We are wondering if the hotel porter made a mistake when he rented the vice regal suite at the Hotel Savoy to Calgary visitors on Sunday or was the beauty of the Queen such that he felt she should be given only the best.

Mrs. R. I. Baker left for Calgary Wednesday where she will attend the district convention of the Woman's Institute.

Edwin Fisher has returned from California where he spent some time.

Geo. Dupue was a business visitor in Calgary Thursday.

Genial Scribe Rhodes was busy scratching with his perscratching for a poll tax. We wonder if he could beat the chickens at the scratching as the dollars are as scarce as hen's teeth these days. Help Clerk Clark collect the shekels, it will benefit you directly.

Geo. Voisey has returned from Vancouver. He reports having an enjoyable trip.

Tell us of your visitors

Anglicans Record Good Year Here

Appreciate Efforts of Canon

Winters
Officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Parish ioners of the Champion Anglican Church held on Sunday and reports of the past year were adopted.

Financial statement presented showed the great gratification to be in good financial standing. All current expenses having been met. Appreciation was expressed to the Rector, Rev. Canon Winters for his untiring efforts towards the congregation.

Officers elected were: Rector's warden, J. L. Price people's warden, H. Chomier vestry, Dr. Freese, R. M. Gardiner, and J. M. Stevenson.

Pioneer Died on Sunday

M. Brett Surveyed Roads in District

A pioneer of this district Martin James Brett, 83 died on Sunday in the Carmangy hospital after a short illness. The funeral was held from the Catholic Church in Champion on Wednesday, burial being made in the R. C. cemetery in Champion.

Mr. Brett was born in Midhurst, Simcoe county, Ontario, in 1856. He moved to Superior, Wis. in 1894 and farmed there with success until he came to Champion in 1906, taking up a farm five miles south of the town. Mr. Brett took an active part in the early development of the district. He conducted the first survey of the road in the district and took his part in community enterprises.

He was a faithful member of the Catholic Church. He leaves to mourn his loss a sorrowing wife, two daughters and one son, they being Mrs. F.

CAMEO THEATRE

Monday March 6th
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Shrimps	2 for	39c
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Pilchards	2 for	23c
Chicken Raddie	2 for	35c

"Campbells"

Broughton, Vancouver Miss Mary Brett and Albert both of Champion. Three sons - four grandchildren. Two sons predeceased Mr. Brett. Pallbearers at the funeral which was largely attended were all old time friends, S. Fath, L. Fath, R. Wellman, Peter Holm, M. McLean, and George Baldwin. The funeral arrangements were in the capable hands of Mr. Farmer.

CHAMPION GROCETERIA

SMILES 100 per cent whole wheat porridge	
per box	25c
OXYDOL Giant size	73c
HANDY SODAS per box	35c
DAD'S tissug 1 lb rolls	6 for 25c
SQUIRREL peanut butter quart jars	40c
CLOVER LEAF Herring in tomato sauce	2 25c
ROYAL ANNE cherries per tin	15c
Ready Cut MACARONI 5 lb box	30c

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YOUR STORE

Mark & Company

PHONE 34, Champion, Alberta

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Gillivray S. McRae Editor and Proprietor

- Editorial -

BUY AT HOME

In these days of high pressure salesmanship there is a tendency on the part of some to purchase goods from out of town. This is one sure way to reduce the population of your community and cause business failures. If there was any justification for patronage of outside firms we would not mention the fact of the present trend but there are splendid business houses in Champion.

Large stocks are carried and if the article you desire is not on hand, the business man will order same and thereby secure his commission. Every cent spent here helps to build up your community and likewise money sent out of town to other communities, directly, tears down the community.

We do not reflect upon the honesty of merchants in other centres when we say that the local business man gives more personal guarantee of his articles, for he must face his customers from day to day and so must give satisfaction.

Success or failure of any business in a community has a direct effect upon other individuals. In other words it is our duty as a community to assist each other during these days of stress by buying at home. No matter what you want or think of, it can be procured through a local business man and he will be helped by your thoughtfulness in remembering him.

A GOOD MOTTO

Why stop your paper if you do not agree with the editor? Why leave your church if the minister says something that gives you a jolt? Why denounce and abuse your neighbor because he doesn't happen to see things in just your light? Neither of you may be entirely right. Try to learn the art of adaptation. "Live and let live" is a good maxim. Too many men labor under the impression that they "know it all," that everyone else is wrong but themselves. "In things essential, unity; in things indifferent, liberty; in all things, charity," is a good motto.

EDITOR RECEIVES

GIFT OF SILVER

The editor wishes to thank Frank Fleming of radio station C F A C for a chest of silver, consisting of six Rader spoons which is sincerely appreciated.

Any listener may receive one of commemorative spoons by writing to the radio station enclosing 15 cents to cover cost of mailing.

DRAMATIC CLUB

An enthusiastic meeting of Dramatic club was held Wednesday Crests for the club were given and Financial statement showed profit of \$16.80 for the year it was decided to hold

a banquet on Wednesday Mar. 15th, at which each member may invite another. Ladies aid will serve the dinner.

Following the business session a play was presented by Edna Middleton's group entitled The Florists Shop. Those taking part were Evelyn Kramer, R. Caldwell, Dick Dupre, Arnold Band, and Edna Middleton. Games and dancing were then enjoyed.

UNITED GRAIN GROWERS

At a meeting of directors of United Grain Growers it was decided to make the strongest possible representation to have a guaranteed fixed price for wheat as protection for west

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF HARMONY No. 128

Champion Alberta Feb. 20 1939

The following is a brief outline of Sec. 307 b and Sec 307 c of the Municipal Districts Act, in respect to a by-law to fix a minimum tax, which reads as follows:

Subject to the approval of the Minister, the Council may by by-law fix the Minimum tax in the sum of Four dollars, to be paid by any person assessed upon the Assessment roll, and may require that any person who is gainfully employed who has resided therein for a period of one month or over and has not been assessed on the Assessment roll and may require that any person who is gainfully employed, who has resided therein for a period of one month or over, and has not been assessed on the assessment roll, shall pay an annual tax of four dollars for Municipal purposes, to be collected at any time after the first of January in each and every year, and such Municipal Tax shall be payable by the resident whether he has resided in the District before the date of the completion of the last assessment roll or not, but in the case of the collector of such tax the name of such resident so paying shall be added to the assessment roll.

307 c. Any person liable to pay any tax pursuant to section 307 b or section 307 b shall pay the same to the Secretary-Treasurer or to such person as is appointed by the Council to collect the same, within three days after demand is made therefor, by the collector of such tax, or if he neglects or refuses to pay, levy may be made by distress and sale of goods and chattels of the persons in default, as provided in this Act.

(2) Every employer shall furnish from month to month, upon request by the Secretary-Treasurer, the names of all persons in his employment, and the Secretary-Treasurer by a notice in writing may require the employer or employers to deduct from the next payment made to any employee who is named in the notice and has not paid any tax for the payment, which the employer is liable under the said sections, the amount of tax, and to forward the same immediately after making the deductions hereinbefore directed.

(3) Any employer who fails to furnish the information requested or to make the deductions hereinbefore directed to be made, and to forward the amount of such deduction as hereinbefore directed, shall be liable upon summary conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, and the amount of the fine shall be paid to the Secretary-Treasurer who, in the event of same not being paid within two weeks of the imposition, may levy the amount of same by distress and sale of goods and chattels of the employer in default as provided for under this Act, and of all costs by reason of the proceedings leading to the imposition, or of enforcing the payment thereof, and all sums paid or recovered in respect to any fine imposed, shall form part of the general funds of the Municipal District.

Please be advised that I hereby make the demand on you as set out under 307 c subsection (2) and demand that the name of all persons in your employment, be forwarded to me, on or before March 1st 1939 and also that you will forward each and every month thereafter a list of all persons so employed as provided for under this Act.

Dated at Champion, in the Province of Alberta, this Twentieth day of February, A. D. 1939.

Respectfully Yours,

B. Rhodes

Secretary-Treasurer.

CARMANGAY

Mr and Mrs Tom Hallett were week end guests at the home of the latter's parents Mr and Mrs Louis Roemmell.

Dance at Finn hall was a success.

Rev. A. Lytle, Calgary, will speak at the United Church on Sunday.

A most successful mixed bonspiel was held last week, the ice being good and play watched by an interested gallery.

Turner won against Jacobson in the main event, winning 1st and 2nd prizes respectively. 1st consolation went to L. Hubka and 2nd to R. Crowe.

Community concert held on Monday was a decided success. Principal Robson gave a violin solo which was appreciated.

Tuesday Mrs Geo Simmons entertained at her home the west county women's club.

Mrs D. Parham of Scotia is visiting at her parents Mr and Mrs G. Docking.

Rev Little will be at Plainfield school Monday.

North Priscilla club met at the home of Mrs Thompson.

Mrs C Burns, Mrs Boner, Mrs Maloney, Miss Ireland Mrs. Folk and Rev Taylor were at Lethbridge last week.

Mr and Mrs Geo Hardy and son are home after winter in California and Washington. Mrs Taylor and daughter Betty are visiting in Calgary with Miss Margaret who is attending Normal school.

During bonspiel Loran McGinnis fell backward over a rock fracturing his right elbow in two places. He was retained in hospital for treatment.

Unknown persons entered the farm home of Ralph Gower and carried off furniture including a stove and china cabinet. Friday show the Prisoner of Zenda.

FOR SALE

Quantity of furniture and household effects Apply Geo. Vowsey at the Beaulieu residence from 12 to 6 o'clock Saturday Mar 11

Barons bonspiel gets under way this week, much interest is being taken this year.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Flint, formerly of Barons Mrs W. Lyons and J. son, J. Flinn residing at Barons Mr and Mrs A. Berger of Calgary are guest at the home of Mr and Mrs N. Allen for the past week.

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AT THE CHURCHES
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Anglican Canon Winter rector Canon Winter will hold Holy Communion service at 11 a.m. in Community hall.

AIR MAIL
Postmaster Orr announces that those using air mail would do well to post their letters to Lethbridge, connections for east and west being direct.

COLLEGIATE NEWS AND VIEWS

In room 1 the angles are moved to the back and the bar barbarians, Indians and the babbling brooks are now up in the front.

Pauline Fisher, one of the students scheduled for this week's news and views is sick.

A group of young people from town enjoyed themselves skiing at Bonds on Sunday.

Monday morning an ex-student walked into the 'school but alas not to stay but to walk to the school with a girl in room 1. Practice for elocution and solo will begin immediately according to latest reports.

Next weeks news will be by Ruth Depue, Maxine Ditto and Almour Marshall.

SCHOOL BOARD DISCUSS VANS

At a informal meeting of the school board was held Tuesday to consider the question of van driving on the Holm route such being left vacant at the end of the month. No other persons being available at once it was decided that Mr. Foth took on the extra route. It is likely that tenders will be asked after the regular meeting. Mr. Foth kindly consented to take on the extra duties until other arrangement were made.

NEW POSTMASTER GENERAL ACTIVE

Postmaster General N. A. McLarty, recently appointed, has already shown initiative, and has issued a schedule of air mail service and rates. A copy was received by the editor of The Chronicle from Hon. Mr. McLarty this week.

Dr. DAVID NICOL

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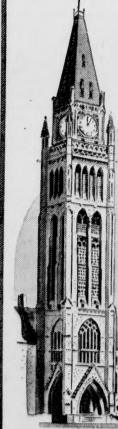
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